

# HEADING MONK STORY

## It is followed by the World's Fair Press Bureau

Carson is now getting its full share of advertising by the World's Fair Publicity and Promotion Department. The following story has been sent to every daily paper in America:

Artemus Ward's story of "Horace Greeley's Ride to Placerville" is now revived by the announcement that the very act in which the famous ride was made, will be at the World's Fair, and at the Forty-Nine camp. Mr. J. H. Greer, Nevada's executive commissioner, has secured the famous old coach, which on the memorable occasion, was driven by Hank Monk, the most noted jehu who ever drove a stage coach over the Rocky mountains, and will make it Nevada's coach of state during the World's Fair. Hank Monk was presented with a gold watch for making the record breaking Greeley trip, and this, with other relics of the famous stage driver, may be seen at the Purchase Exposition.

Mark Twain and Artemus Ward made Hank Monk the subject of stories that were years ago read the world over. They idealized the intrapid jehu and emphasized the importance of the stage driver in the perilous times of his reign. Hank Monk is dead. A plain sandstone monument marks his grave in the Carson City cemetery. In a niche reposes a life-size portrait of the man who drove Horace Greeley into Placerville in time to keep an important engagement.

Mark Twain, in "Roughing It," his first famous book, devoted one chapter to the importance of stage drivers in general, and another chapter to Hank Monk, and particularly of the famous Greeley ride.

Artemus Ward also wrote of his story and his version of it became famous as the incident known as "Horace Greeley's Ride to Placerville," follows:

When Mr. Greeley was in California, omissions awaited him in every town. He had written how the leaders in the Tribune in favor of the Pacific railroad, which had greatly endeared him to the citizens of the Golden State, and therefore they made much of him when he went to see them.

At one town the enthusiastic populace tore his celebrated white coat to pieces and carried the pieces home to remember him by.

The citizens of Placerville prepared to fete the great journalist, and an extra coach, with extra relays of horses, was chartered of the California Stage company to carry him from Folsom to Placerville—distance forty miles. Mr. Greeley was to be feted at 7 o'clock that evening by the citizens of Placerville, and it was altogether necessary that he should be there at that hour. So the stage company said to Hank Monk, the driver of the extra, "Henry, this great man must be there by 7 tonight."

And Henry answered:

"The great man shall be there."

The roads were in an awful state, and during the first few miles out of Folsom slow progress was made.

"Sir," said Mr. Greeley, "are you aware that I must be at Placerville at 7 o'clock tonight?"

"I've got my orders," ironically returned Henry Monk.

"Still the coach dragged slowly forward."

"Sir," said Mr. Greeley, "this is not a trifling matter. I must be there at 7."

Again came the answer, "I've got my orders!"

But the speed was not increased, and Mr. Greeley chafed away another half-hour, when, as he was about about to remonstrate with the driver, the horses suddenly started into a full gallop, and he encouraging yells filled the air from the throat of Henry Monk.

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"Do-on't—on't—on't you-u-u think we—e shall get there by seven if we do-on't—on't go so fast?"

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It was becoming serious. Already the journalist was extremely sore from the terrible jolting, and again his head "might have been seen" at the window.

"Sir," he said, "I don't care if we don't get there at seven."

"I have got my orders!" Freshly, Henry Monk said. And on tore the coach.

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# DESERTED HIS WIFE

## \$100 REWARD.

Another home has been broken up and a courtship which was carried on in this city will end in the divorce court. The parties whose marriage has had an abrupt termination are Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hogan.

Mr. Hogan, formerly a well-known actor in the city, was employed by the city as a janitor in the city hall.

He was married to Mrs. Hogan, a well-known actress, who was employed by the city as a janitor in the city hall.

They were married in the city hall, and their marriage was celebrated in a grand manner.

But their marriage was not long of duration, and they have now separated.

Mr. Hogan is now in the city, and Mrs. Hogan is now in the city.

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About medium height, slightly bald, lips on left leg, has very prominent nose and a marked stare like a

He was last heard from in the vicinity of Reno about a year ago. You will know him readily from the following: He has very little to say, keeps his mouth closed only when he

apologizes for even being alive, and cannot be persuaded to say "I told you so." When found he is to be returned at once to the asylum from his past constant talking against the new town

of

EAST RENO.

It is not likely that he will be found near there; his great hobby was to tell what would not be, and it was after the S. P. Co. had spent \$100,000 on their new site, and had laid out the great, round house, and had planned the largest shops in the west, that this man took to the woods. Even though the great \$2,000,000 yards and shops are so far under way and the new town so positively assured, he may be found lurking around in hiding under the protection of some of his kind

near Reno, who will say, "No, it's not air." But even if you do not find him, send your address on a postal and you will receive a map and full particulars regarding the best lots in the new town and how you can make \$100 or more, easily, if you are wise.

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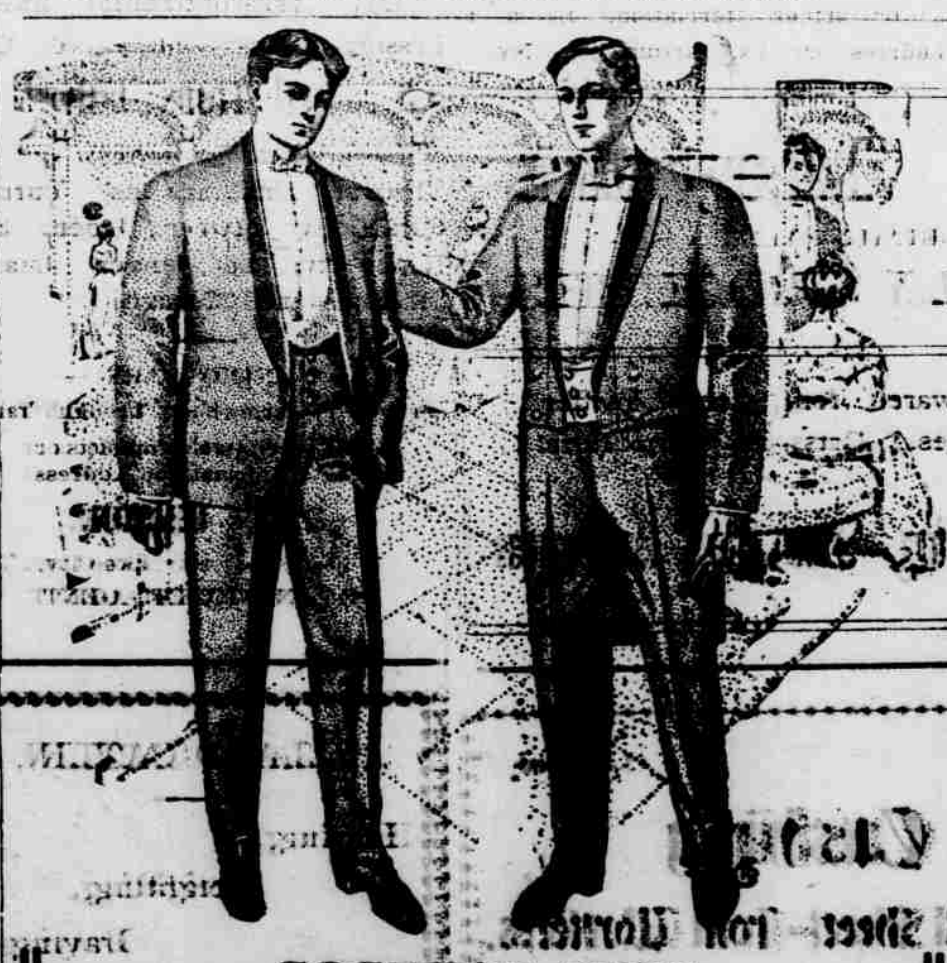
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